like clarifications from beneficiaries and reports of medical specialities and Expert Committee for justification of treatment taken.

National Aids Control Programme in Andhra Pradesh

3127. SHRI NANDI YELLAIAH : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government of Andhra Pradesh has submitted any action plans to be included in the phase-III of National AIDS Control Programme;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Central Government thereon;

(c) whether Government have completed the process of formulating phase-III of National AIDS Control Programme; and

(d) if so, the salient features thereof and the schemes/programmes envisaged thereunder for Andhra Pradesh alongwith the funds earmarked for each scheme/programme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) to (d) National AIDS Control Programme-Phase III has been prepared and is being discussed with Development Partners. The proposal takes into account the various initiatives in reversing the epidemic all over the country, including Andhra Pradesh. The focus of the Phase III proposal is on prevention by expanding access to information and preventive services and also includes treatment of opportunistic infections and AIDS. Implementation of National AIDS Control Programme Phase-III will start after the proposals are agreed to by Development Partners and approved by Government of India.

Violation of reservation policy in PGIMER

†3128. SHRI MANGANILAL MANDAL : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Director PGIMER, Chandigarh and the institute are grossly violating the reservation policy introduced for SCs, STs, and OBCs;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.